NEWPORT,
RHODE-ISLAND.

In Purſuance of an Act of Parliament, made and paſſed in the 7th and 8th Years of the Reign of King *WILLIAM* the Third, entituled, *An ACT for preventing Frauds and Abuſes in the Plantation Trade.*

JURAT Godfrey Malbone of Newport in the Colony of Rhode Island & Merchant — x x x x x x x

THAT the Brigantine called the Catherine whereof John Dupuy — x x x x is at preſent Maſter; being a Square — ſtern'd Veſſel, of the Burthen of about Sixty Tons was Built at Warren This preſent year One Thouſand Seven hundred and Sixty three and that he this Deponant, Together with John Malbone of Newport aforeſaid Merchant

at preſent are Owners thereof; and that no Foreigner, directly or indirectly, hath any Share or Part, or Intereſt therein

Godfrey Malbone junr

Which Oath aboveſaid, was made before Us Stephen Hopkins Esqr Governor of the Colony of Rhode Island &c — — — —

x — — — — — — — — — — — — — —

and Joseph Wanton Esqr Collector and principal Officer of his Majeſty's Cuſtoms in ſaid Colony.

GIVEN *under our Hands and Seals at* Newport *aboveſaid, the* Third *Day of* June — Annoq; Dom. 1763 *in the* Third *Year of His Majeſty's Reign.*

Custom House Rhd: Island
Recorded Eodem Die. Step Hopkins

Wanton

Custom House Rhode Island

These may certify
that Isaac Cowdery is now Master of the within mentioned
Brigantine Katherine in the room of John Dupey late
Master

Attested Thos Tillinghast Coll.

Benj Wickham
Dep